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Re: U.S. Utility Patent No. 6,985,387 B2; Issued: January 10, 2006  
(from Application No. 10/849,295; Filed: May 20, 2004)  
For: **System and Method for One-Time Programmed Memory Through  
Direct-Tunneling Oxide Breakdown**

Inventors: Chen *et al.*  
Our Ref: 1875.0220001

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for appropriate action are the following documents:

1. Request for Certificate of Correction;
2. Certificate of Correction; and
3. Return postcard.

It is respectfully requested that the attached postcard be stamped with the date of filing of these documents, and that it be returned to our courier. In the event that extensions of time are necessary to prevent abandonment of this patent application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned.

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Only 1 U.S. patent is listed on the main page followed by the notation "(continued)." A second page including the additional references is missing.

In the claims section, claim 13, column 7, line 22, the word "said" should be deleted.

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***Remarks***

The above-noted corrections do not involve such changes in the patent as would constitute new matter or would require reexamination.

A completed Form PTO/SB/44 accompanies this request, with the above-noted corrections printed thereon. Accordingly, a Certificate of Correction is believed proper and issuance thereof is respectfully requested.

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It is certified that error appears or errors appear in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below.

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